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Dennis Ausiello, et al.

Method and Device for the Controlled

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Delivery of Parathyroid Hormone

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Examiner

Elizabeth MacNeill

Docket No.

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

## Via EFS-Web

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 29, 2007, please reconsider the application in view of the following remarks.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Petition for an Extension of Time for two months to March 29, 2007, are submitted herewith, along with authorization to charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-5029.

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